

Jack Vest, FCSI

*“In recognition of your notable advancement of construction technology through development, promotion, and instruction of the “Uniform Drawing System”; for your sustained commitment in mentoring students and creating quality education programs; and for consistently presenting a positive image of CSI within the engineering profession, you are advanced to Fellowship in the Institute on the 29th day of June 2002.”
Las Vegas, Nevada*



Jack joined CSI in 1987 as a member of the Tulsa Chapter. He quickly began his contributions to the Chapter as Treasurer in 1988. He has been serving ever since, including two terms as President.

He was appointed to the Specifications Subcommittee in 1990 and served five years. In 1996 he joined the Uniform Drawings Systems Task Team and, to date, has served ten years. He served as the UDS Task Team Chairman in FY 2002 and has presented many UDS seminars, including two at the South Central Region Conference.

Jack is committed to education. He was South Central Region Education Chairman for three years, has been an instructor in the CDT review course at Oklahoma State University, and lead classes in the Tulsa Chapter CCCA and CDT seminars. In his spare time he has been a part time instructor at Tulsa Community College and the University of Phoenix Online.

After graduating from Virginia Military Institute, Jack served four years on active duty and 17 years as an Air Force Academy Admissions Counselor before retiring as a Lt. Colonel in 1992. He has been a United States Figure Skating official for 15 years and is currently a National Accountant and Technical Accountant. He is a certified lighting and sound technician at the Tulsa Performing Arts Center and has designed over 25 shows for several Tulsa community theater groups.

Jack moved to Tulsa in 1972 and has been the Vice President of Electrical Engineering at Consulting Engineers, Inc. since 1979. He used his knowledge of specification writing to overhaul CEI's master specifications. He was the primary Electrical Engineers and CEI project manager for the Wal-Mart Eco-Mart store, Oklahoma Aquarium, University of Tulsa Reynolds Arena, Cherokee Nation Casino, and hundreds of other projects. The Eco-Mart store included ecologically sensitive and energy efficient design concepts.

CSI Membership

Tulsa Chapter, 1987 to Present

Institute Offices, Committees

Uniform Drawing System Task Team, 1996-2003
Specifications Subcommittee, 1990-1995

Chapter Offices, Committees

Board Member, 2003
Awards Chairman, 2002-2003
President, 1993-95
Treasurer, 1988-1992

Awards

Certificate of Appreciation, 1995